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Attorney Docket No. 21402-251 (CURA-551)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

FIRST-NAMED INVENTOR Marc DeCristofaro, et al.

OR APPLICATION

IDENTIFIER:

FOR:

**NOVEL POLYPEPTIDES AND NUCLEIC ACIDS
ENCODED THEREBY**

Box PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231



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PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

**REQUEST FOR FILING A NEW NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION UNDER 37
C.F.R. §1.53(b)**

1. This is a request for filing a new nonprovisional application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b).

This application claims priority to U.S.S.N. 60/262,892, filed January 19, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/263,598, filed January 23, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/263,799, filed January 24, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/264,117, filed January 25, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/264,139, filed January 25, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/264,478, filed January 26, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/263,351, filed January 30, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/272,870, filed March 2, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/275,990, filed March 14, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/275,927, filed March 14, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/276,449, filed March 15, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/277,358, filed March 20, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/278,151, filed March 23, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/279,857, filed March 29, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/285,140, filed April 20, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/285,141, filed April 20, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/287,484, filed April 30, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/291,701, filed May 17, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/296,960, filed June 8, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/304,353, filed July 10, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/304,355, filed July 10, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/304,886, filed July 12, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/311,289, filed August 9, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/311,975, filed August 13, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/312,937, filed August 16, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/330,227, filed October 18, 2001; and U.S.S.N. 60/334,198, filed November 29, 2001.

2. Specification (Total pages: 678);

Specification (668 pages); Claims (9 pages); Abstract (1 page)

3. Declaration and Power of Attorney (unexecuted, 10 pages)

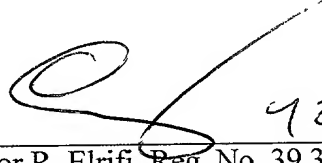
4. Fee Calculation

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. 1.16(a) \$740.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(c))	41	- 20 =	21	\$ 18.00	\$378.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b))	4	- 3 =	1	\$84.00	\$84.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. 1.16(d))				\$270.00	0
				SUBTOTAL:	\$
				Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity:	\$0
				TOTAL FEE:	\$1,202.00

5. Check #11429 in the amount of **\$1,202.00** is enclosed.
6. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge any deficiencies
Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 21402-251 (CURA-551)
7. Return Receipt Postcard Enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: January 22, 2002


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